

Saturday, August 29, 1959

HIGHLIGHTS

Senate met briefly.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17340-17344

Bill Introduced: One bill was introduced, as follows:
S. 2618.

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Century 21 Exposition: Senate adopted conference report on H.R. 8374, relating to the Century 21 Exposition, to be held in Seattle in 1961 and 1962.

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Lake Michigan Water: H.R. 1, Lake Michigan water diversion, was briefly debated.

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Adjournment: Adjourned at 10:19 a.m.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, August 31, at 12 o'clock noon.

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

Monday, August 31, 1959

HIGHLIGHTS

Both Houses cleared for White House bill continuing appropriations.

Senate cleared for White House bill on Spokane Valley project and continued on Lake Michigan water bill.

House passed 45 miscellaneous bills and received public works veto message.

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages 17346-17376

Bills Introduced: 8 bills and 3 resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2619-2626; and S. Res. 182-184.

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Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 1502, providing a 10-percent increase in annuities of retired Foreign Service officers and their survivors, with amendment (S. Rept. 837);

S. Res. 182, referring S. 2496, a private bill, to Court of Claims (S. Rept. 838);

S. 1696, 1822, 2129, and 2319, private bills (S. Repts. 839-842);

S. 2347, authorization of acquisition of land in the vicinity of Federal prisons for health or safety purposes (S. Rept. 843);

S. 2321, 231, H.R. 1665, and 2946, private bills (S. Repts. 844-847);

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H.R. 2978, to permit additional peremptory challenges in civil cases to multiple plaintiffs, with amendment (S. Rept. 848); and

H.R. 3801, 3816, 4134, 5873, 7745, and 8277, private bills (S. Repts. 849-854).

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Temporary Appropriations: Senate took from desk and passed without amendment (clearing for President) H.J. Res. 510, continuing temporary appropriations until September 30, pending enactment of certain regular appropriation bills.

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Spokane Valley Project: S. 994, authorizing construction of the Spokane Valley project, Washington and Idaho, was cleared for President's signature when Senate adopted conference report thereon.

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Century 21 Exposition: By unanimous consent, the name of Representative Fulton was authorized to be added to the conference report on H.R. 8374, relating to the Century 21 Exposition, to be held in Seattle in 1961 and 1962.

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